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OPERATION SCABBARDS

JOPREP 11041/CINCLANT/SITREP AS OF 112400Z

1. INTELLIGENCE:

A. EVAL AVAIL INFO INDICATES 42 MISSILES HAVE BEEN REMOVED FROM CUBA. SEVEN MISSILE-CARRYING SHIPS HAVE BEEN INTERCEPTED AND IN EACH CASE SOME MISSILE TRANSPORTERS WERE UNCOVERED TO PERMIT VERIFICATION. ALL SHIPS CONTINUED ON COURSE AWAY FROM CUBA AFTER INSPECTION. ALAPAYEVSK ORIGINALLY LISTED BY SOVIETS AS A MISSILE CARRIER HAD NONE ABOARD BUT WAS CARRYING MISSILE-ASSOCIATED EQUIP AND "ROCKET TECHNICIANS". NO MISSILE TRANSPORTERS REMAIN IN CUBAN PORTS. LARGE NUMBER OF ERECTORS, LAUNCH STANDS, AND FUEL AND OXIDIZER TRAILERS REMAIN IN OPEN AREAS.

B. THE FOLLOWING ON SOVIET EQUIP ARE BASED ON PHOTOGRAPHY THROUGH 9 NOV:

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C. QUARANTINE SHIPPING:

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(2) BRATSK, INSPECTED BY NRL REP WITH SPECIAL SENSING DEVICE.

RESULTS INCONCLUSIVE. 111248Z POSIT BRATSK 27-25N 61-14W.

D. CHANGES IN SUB CONTACTS:

CONTACT	TIME	POSIT	STATUS
C-18			NO LONGER ESCORTING. DISCONTINUED.
POSITIVE			
C-19			NOW COLD.
POSITIVE			
C-21			NOW COLD. POSITIVE
C-31			DISCONTINUED SEARCH.
PROBABLE			
E-60	101810Z	38-43N	DISAPPEARING RADAR CONTACT AT 20 MILES.
POSSIBLE		69-27W	INTERMITTENT ECM. LOFAR CONTACT JEZ
			SEARCH NEGATIVE. NO FURTHER REPORTS
			PENDING RECEIPT OF SIGNIFICANT INFO.

2. DEPLOYMENT OF PROPOSED DEPLOYMENT OF FORCES.

A. QUARANTINE FORCE.

(1) DEWEY CONTINUES PATROL FLORIDA STRAITS. KRAUS ON STA NORTHEAST ENTRANCE PROVIDENCE CHANNEL. SELLERS LOCATED CROOKED ISLAND PASSAGE. FORREST ROYAL DPT MAYPORT 111300Z ENR CHESTNUT LINE. JOHN KING DETACHED FROM TG 136.2 TO RELIEVE LEARY SO LEARY CAN PROCEED SAN JUAN.

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I. T.J. GEARY (DE-326) ETA KEY WEST 111245Z.
J. TRUCKEE AND HENLEY AT GTMO
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L. SENECA ARRIV PORT EVERGLADES WITH ARMY FUEL BARGE 100730R. ETD 12 NOV FOR GTMO.
M. SHAKORI ETA PORT EVERGLADES WITH ARMY CRANE AT 101700R.
N. CALCATERRA 102000Z POSIT 42-21N 30-44W CUS 060 SPD 10.5. TRAILING TEREK.
O. KEPLER RPT K-18 SURFACED WITH PAMIR ALONGSIDE FOR TRANSFER AT 100800Z 42-31N 36-53W. KEPLER NOW OFF C-18 AND PROCEEDING TO AZORES FOR FUEL. ETA UNKNOWN. [A] (CIC)
P. COMCARDIV SIX ABOARD LEXINGTON AT MAYPORT.
Q. BALAO ETA 30-45N 79-30W 151200Z FOR SERVICE TO COMOPTEVFOR.
R. NITRO WHEN RFS ABOUT 12 NOV. PROCEED 33N 73W. UPON ARRIV ABOUT 13 NOV CHOP TO CTF 136.
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(5) TE 128.3.1.4 ANCH OFF MOREHEAD CITY. YORK COUNTY AND WALWORTH COUNTY MOREHEAD CITY.
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(9) TG 128.4 SOUTH GTMO. MINDIV 85 GTMO.
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